

PUBLIC SAFETY MONTHLY REPORT

5/29/14-6/23/14



Mission Statement:

The Rutherford County Emergency Management Agency is charged with the overall responsibility of coordinating the county's preparedness for and response to disasters. Geographically, its authority extends to the entire county as defined by state law TCA 58-2-110.

The mission of the Emergency Management Agency is to develop a comprehensive emergency management program that seeks to: mitigate the effects of various hazards, to prepare for measures which will preserve life and minimize damage, to respond during emergencies, to provide assistance, and to establish a recovery system to return the community to a normal status after an event. This agency combines the local resources of Rutherford County, the City of Murfreesboro, the Town of Smyrna, and the City of LaVergne; along with State and Federal resources to mitigate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from the effects all types of emergencies including natural or man-made disasters, technological accidents, national security threats, and other disrupting incidents that may impact our area or the general populations.



Emergency Management Agency

Emergency Management Activity Report May 30, 2014-June 23, 2014

Mitigation:

Preparedness:

| Date | Description |
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| 5/3/2014 | Staff met with SORT regarding Communications in Murfreesboro. |
| 5/4/2014 | Staff attended the Full Scale Airplane Crash Drill in Smyrna. |
| 5/4/2014 | Staff participated in a National Weather Service Conference Call regarding the severe weather approaching at the Rutherford County EOC. |
| 5/5/2014 | Staff attended the TEMA Middle Tennessee Regional Director's Meeting in Nashville. |
| 5/5/2014 | Staff met with a vendor regarding communications at the Smyrna Tower Site. |
| 5/6/2014 | Staff participated in a Everbridge Conference Call at the Rutherford County EOC. |
| 5/6/2014 | Staff attended a meeting with the Rutherford County Sheriff's Office regarding communications in Murfreesboro. |
| 5/6/2014 | Staff attended a National Disaster Medical System Planning Exercise Meeting with the VA in Murfreesboro. |
| 5/9/2014 | Staff attended the Smyrna Air Show Emergency Team Meeting in Smyrna. |
| 5/11/14-5/15/14 | Staff attended the Smyrna Air Show for support with the Mobile Command Center in Smyrna. |
| 5/16/2014 | Staff participated in the TEMA Monthly Communications Check at the Rutherford County EOC. |
| 5/17/2014 | Staff attended the Staff Call Meeting with the Deputy Mayor in Murfreesboro. |
| 5/17/2014 | Staff met with the American Red Cross at the Rutherford County EOC. |
| 5/17/2014 | Staff participated in the Project Call regarding the Communications Project at the Rutherford County EOC. |

The staff is working on the 2013 Homeland Security Grant. We are working with other emergency departments throughout the county on setting up classes and other training.

Tower Project Update:

Microwave done at initial three (3) sites
Hutson Road Tower renovations underway
Road work on Lynch Hill Tower being completed
Acquired two (2) buildings for Hutson Road & WTN Towers
May weather caused delays

2012 Homeland Security Grant: Waiting on reimbursement from Nashville OEM for \$36K for SORT Sonar

2013 Homeland Security Grant: Law Enforcement Funds spent, Response spent up to 53%, and Training spent up to 10%

ReadyOp purchase-Training will be held on June 30, 2014, at 911 Building



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Response:

Date

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Recovery: